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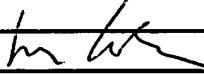
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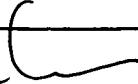
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Please enter the following preliminary amendment which substitutes a redacted version of the patent specification for the divisional application's specification presently pending in the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Only subject matter related to inventions not being pursued in this application has been redacted, as this divisional application relates to anti-microbial laminates. A clean copy of the application is attached as **Appendix A** hereto, and a marked-up copy is attached as **Appendix B**. **Appendix C** contains figures identical to Figures 1-7 and 10-13 of the parent application that have been renumbered in the substitute specification

as Figures 1-11. Other figures from the parent application are not believed relevant at this time to the presently claimed invention.

No substantive Office Action has yet been received in this matter, and no new matter is entered by the present amendment. No additional fees are believed necessary for consideration of this amendment. If the payment of such fees are deemed necessary, however, such fees are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 03-2410, Order No. 6080-P39DIV3.

Should there be any questions after reviewing this paper, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 617-854-4000.

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